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EDHEM PASHA FAILS  
TO SCORE A POINTGREEK TROOPS ARE A MATCH  
FOR TURKS.

**FORTY ADDITIONAL BATTALIONS TO BE HURRIED TO THE FRONT IN CONSEQUENCE OF AN APPEAL FROM THE TURKISH COMMANDER—HARD FIGHTING NEAR LARISSA—POWERS READY TO ACT.**

Constantinople, April 22.—The sitting of the military commission has been continuous since Tuesday at the Yildiz kiosk. It is reported that Edhem Pasha has asked for 40,000 reinforcements, and that orders have been sent to Salonica to hasten the dispatch of the reserves to the frontier. The mobilization of forty additional battalions has been decided upon, and the enrollment of volunteers is being considered. The sturdy resistance offered by the Greeks was wholly unexpected, and the idea that the forces of Edhem Pasha would have a military promenade to Larissa has already been abandoned.

Telegrams received by the porte from the far western provinces show that the Albanian irregulars are devastating the country in many localities, and especially along the line of route between Prevesa and Janina. The local authorities are powerless to restrain them.

An imperial edict has been issued ordering the Turkish fleet to avoid a battle at sea, and remain under the protection of the fortifications.

Larissa, April 22.—The first seriously planned battle commenced Wednesday. Early in the morning the Greeks, under Gens. Mavromichali and Macris, advanced from Reveni, Boughazi and St. Elias against Edhem Pasha's advance guard. The fighting was greatly extended and the battle raged till late in the afternoon with varying fortune.

The Greeks were assisted by thousands of irregulars, who harassed the Turkish outposts and wings as well as participated in the general engagements. The Turks had an overwhelming superiority in numbers. They had constructed earthworks and trenches everywhere and in and behind these awaited the attacks of the Greeks. On the whole they clung tenaciously to their defenses, while the Greeks attacked these again and again with the most desperate bravery.

In spite of the furious attacks still made upon them the Greeks continue to hold the Reveni and Nezeros passes. Crown Prince Constantine is hurrying reinforcements to the front.

A correspondent says: "The whole situation appears changed by the tenacity with which the Greeks are holding Reveni pass, whereby they may possibly turn Edhem Pasha's position, and cut off his communication with Elassona."

## BATTLE NEAR TYRNAVO.

**Greek Stronghold Reported Captured After Hard Fighting.**

Foot of Milouma Pass, April 20, afternoon (delayed in transmission).—The last height commanding Tyrnavo has just been captured by the Turks. The infantry advance was supported by cavalry, the soldiers cheering lustily as they began the attack.

Mondou Pasha has prepared to descend at 9 a. m. to-morrow into the Thessalian plain. Taking the road to the left, which skirts along the base of the foothills, large bodies of cavalry will push forward to the front, while the infantry take possession of the buildings which the Greeks have left in their hurried flight.

It was the task of Neschat Pasha to attack the Losphaki heights, the last Greek stronghold commanding Tyrnavo. The Turkish batteries, each gun dragged by fifty men, pushed forward and bombarded the Greek position. A deep ravine lay between the infantry forces of the two armies. It was strewed with heavy rocks and loose boulders.

After sharp fighting the Greek batteries withdrew, but the Greek infantry continued to defend the position until compelled to retire.

The Greeks are now strongly entrenched on the plain north and west of Larissa. Edhem Pasha is acting with the greatest caution and deliberation.

Milouma Pass, April 20, night (delayed in transmission).—The Greek posts at Milouma and Tyrnavo were captured at noon to-day. The Turkish headquarters have been removed from Elassona to Milouma.

It is estimated that the Greek forces now in the Thessalian plain in front of Edhem Pasha and between this point and Larissa number at least 60,000, but the Greek prisoners say that their reserves are exhausted.

## Powers Ready to Act.

Vienna, April 22.—Much attention has been attracted to an article in the semi-official *Fremdenblatt* on the Turkey-Grecian situation. After asserting that while Greece desired war at any price it was impossible to stop her, the article continues: "Nevertheless if either Greece or Turkey, in the event of defeat, invokes European intervention, the powers will not refuse to endeavor to re-establish peace."

## MANY POINTS ATTACKED.

**Greek Troops Gain Upon the Enemy—Several Towns Bombed.**

Athens, April 22 (7 p. m.).—Fighting has been renewed at Fanasi, which is being cannoneaded by the Greek bri-

gade advancing from Boughgazi. The Turks have occupied the posts of Ligaria and Karatzo, which are strategically unimportant, while the Greeks have advanced and occupied the Slati hill.

A dispatch from Arta says the Turks have abandoned Strevelia, beyond Fillipiada, after burning it. The bombardment of Prevesa continues with increasing damage to the fort.

After bombarding Platamonas the squadron will proceed to Katerina.

Col. Manos, in command of the Greek army operating against the Turks in Epirus, telegraphs that he has destroyed Imaret fort, and has advanced without opposition to Fillipiada, which place the Turks abandoned after burning it. Col. Manos has hoisted the Greek flag over Fillipiada.

The Turks tried to capture the post of the Prophet Eli, on the road to Tyrnavo, but were repulsed.

## Russia to Take Part.

Berlin, April 22.—It is reported here in well-informed circles that the Russian government has asked permission of the sultan for the Russian Black Sea fleet to pass through the Dardanelles. The Baltic fleet is also ready to start under sealed orders.

## Tell of Turkish Victories.

Washington, April 22.—The Turkish legation received an official dispatch from Constantinople at an early hour this morning telling of Turkish victories.

## Rumored Capture of Larissa.

Salonica, April 22.—It is rumored here that the Turks have captured Larissa. The report should be accepted with reserve.

## THE "GREAT OBJECTOR" DEAD.

**Congressman Holman Passed Away at Washington This Afternoon.**

Washington, April 22.—Congressman W. S. Holman, who has been ill for some days past, died very suddenly this afternoon at 2:05 o'clock.



WILLIAM STEELE HOLMAN.

Congressman William Steele Holman was born Sept. 6, 1822, in Dearborn county, Ind., being the son of Jesse Lynch Holman, an eminent jurist of Kentucky and Indiana. The son served as judge, member of the legislature and of the state constitutional convention of 1850, and was in 1858 elected to congress. He was defeated in 1864, 1876 and 1878, his district having been changed in 1873 with a special view to leaving him at home. These three terms excepted, he has served continuously in the house of representatives since 1859.

## A PLAN TO SAVE THE SOUTH.

**Engineers May Evolve Scheme to Control the Mississippi.**

Washington, April 22.—Representative Sayers of Texas, who was chairman of the appropriations committee in the last Democratic congress, and has had much experience in dealing with government works, suggests a plan for a comprehensive settlement of the Mississippi river problem.

Mr. Sayers would have the United States government invite the engineers of the world to consider the problem of controlling the Mississippi river and to present plans for permanent system, so that the government might adopt the ideas of the best engineering talent.

For this purpose he suggests that a competition might be brought about by an offer of prizes, perhaps \$50,000, for the plan which should be considered best, and \$25,000 for the second best, inducements sufficient to attract the most skillful engineers in the world, those who have dealt with such works as the Suez canal and the dykes of Holland.

## For Adjournment May 14.

Springfield, Ill., April 22.—The house Wednesday adopted a joint resolution fixing the date of final adjournment at May 14. The resolution was then sent over to the senate, where it lies on the table until called up. It is not probable that the resolution will be considered in the senate for at least two weeks. There is scarcely a probability that the legislature can adjourn before June 1, unless practically all matters except appropriation bills are abandoned.

## Fruit Killed by Frost.

Baltimore, Md., April 22.—Dispatches from all parts of the Maryland indicate that the recent cold snap has played havoc with blossoming fruit trees and vines. Advices from the western counties of the state indicate that the fruit crop is injured very extensively.

SPLENDID GROWTH  
OF THE Y. M. C. A.

## THE CONDITION OF THE ORGANIZATION IS GOOD.

Membership Shows an Increase of 4,678, and the Increment of Value of Association Property is \$1,180,050—The Officers Elected at the International Meeting at Mobile.

Mobile, Ala., April 22.—The International Young Men's Christian Association was called to order Wednesday night by Dr. Warner of New York, and after preliminary exercises the biennial report of the international committee was presented.

Among other things, it said that the number of associations reporting have increased but three, yet the membership has increased 4,687.

The number of buildings owned by the association has increased from 305 to 330, and the net value of property, less all debts on the same, has increased from \$16,284,378 to \$17,464,427, an increase of \$1,180,050, with nearly \$1,000,000 in addition in pledges for buildings and miscellaneous funds.

The amount expended by local associations, state and international committees during 1896 amounted to \$2,803,485. Paid secretaries and other employed officers have increased from 1,159 to 1,251, with over fifty vacancies unprovided for.

There are 711 libraries, containing 506,659 volumes, and 2,420 educational classes, with 25,269 different students. There is a slight increase in the number of public classes, and an increase in attendance of 60,000 and a slight decrease in the number of young men's meetings, but an increase of 12,000 in attendance. The railroad department shows a large gain in branches and in other statistics. The college associations show a slight increase in numbers.

The report of the treasurer shows that the committee received during 1896 for home work \$73,019, and expended \$72,976, leaving a small balance in the treasury, and for its foreign work it received \$19,747 and expended \$19,415, leaving a balance in the treasury.

The following officers were elected: President, Major Joseph Hardie of Birmingham, Ala.; vice presidents, Robert Stewart of Ottawa; A. C. Rosecranz of Evansville, Ind.; W. P. Jewett of Chicago; E. R. Payson of Portland, Me.; E. H. Clark of Owensboro, Ky.; C. A. Killen of San Antonio, Texas; T. G. Frist of Minneapolis, Minn.; F. E. Tucker of Washington, D. C.; secretary, E. L. Willis of Omaha, Neb.; assistant secretaries, F. G. Marshall of New Glasgow; E. L. Matthews of Atlanta, Ga.; J. B. Griggs of Pittsburgh, Pa. The convention then adjourned.

## Senators Ready to Investigate.

Chicago, April 22.—Charles Warren Spalding, president of the Globe savings banks, ex-treasurer of the University of Illinois and custodian of other trust funds, will be called before the senate investigating committee tomorrow and asked what he did with the money belonging to the estate. Francis M. M. McKay, president of the board of trustees, will also be called upon to explain his connection with the case, as will other members of the board. Officers of the defunct bank will be called upon to testify, as will also Herbert Skinner, Mr. Spalding's private secretary.

## Bank Directors Must Settle.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 22.—Judge Severns in the United States Court Wednesday held that Henry Anderson and John Foster, directors of the defunct bank of Greenville, are liable for all losses sustained by the bank through President Moore between July, 1892 and 1893, the date of suspension.

The court scored the directors for negligence while the managing officers plundered it of all it owned and much that belonged to others.

## Resolution of Sympathy.

Washington, April 22.—Senator Allen of Nebraska will introduce a resolution offering sympathy to the Greek nation in their struggle for the liberty of their fellow countrymen from Moslem rule. The resolution is brief, and simply declares that President McKinley be asked to express to the Greek government the sympathies of the American people.

Tramps Attempt Train Wrecking.

Bedford, Ind., April 22.—A desperate attempt to wreck a Monon train was made Wednesday afternoon three miles north of this city by the burning out of a trestle. The bridge was almost consumed when Frank Robinson, a farmer, discovered it in time to flag the evening passenger train. It is thought to have been the work of tramps.

## Dinner to Gen. Harrison.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 22.—General Harrison was entertained at dinner Wednesday night by the Commercial club. He responded to the toast "No Mean City," and spoke of the progress and desirable features of Indianapolis. James Whitcomb Riley read an original poem entitled "Our Guest."

## Bay St. Louis Damaged.

Bay St. Louis, Miss., April 22.—Fire destroyed twelve buildings in the business part of the town, including the postoffice. Loss estimated at \$25,000, with little insurance.

THE LOSS BY FLOOD  
AN IMMENSE SUMTWENTY THOUSAND SQUARE  
MILES UNDER WATER.

Statistics Issued by the Government Show the Extent of Damages—Financial Loss Close Upon \$14,000,000—More Breaks in Levees Reported—Waves Engulf a Family.

Washington, April 22.—The bureau of statistics of the treasury department has made the following report on the damage caused agricultural interests by the Mississippi river flood:

"The total area submerged at this date is over 20,000 square miles. It contained at the last census 46,935 farms, with a total area of 4,904,466 acres, nearly one-half of which was improved, and a total population, agricultural and other, of 462,041. It to the value of its farms, farm buildings and farm machinery, according to the census of 1890, there be added the value of its live stock on Jan. 1, last, \$9,174,636, and of its products of last season still on hand on March 1, last, \$4,595,179, the total of \$90,176,177 will represent the approximate value of the agricultural property of the submerged region. Among the products of this region last year were 466,056 bales of cotton, worth \$16,312,060, 12,525,645 bushels of corn, worth \$3,995,278, and 9,033,878 pounds of sugar, worth \$271,016, the total production, including minor crops, representing a value of \$21,782,180 on the plantation."

## MAYERSVILLE, MISS., ENTIRELY SUBMERGED.

Mayersville, Miss., April 22.—The break at Shipland landing will entirely submerge Mayersville, a town of 400 people. The town is situated twelve miles north of the break. From Mayersville south to the Yazoo river every plantation in Issaquena, and two-thirds of those in Sharkey, besides a number of others in Yazoo and Warren counties, will be put under water from ten to twenty feet deep. While the section was in a large measure already overflowed, there were hundreds of farm houses and cabins and numerous ridges and mounds and hastily erected scaffolds which still afforded protection to men and beasts. These are now being rapidly abandoned and terror reigns.

## People in Great Danger.

St. Paul, Minn., April 22.—Emerson, just over the Manitoba side of the boundary, is flooded. Only two buildings are high and dry, and water in Main street is two feet over the store counters. Railway communication is entirely shut off both sides of the river, and the inhabitants are pent up on the second floors of houses. Cold, stormy weather is adding to their misery. Efforts are being made to send them a steamboat to get them away. The bridge over the St. Joe river has been washed away, and from that point to Emerson, five miles, it is one like. On the west side of the Red river the Northern Pacific track is under water for twenty-five miles.

## Waves Engulf a Family.

Nashville, Tenn., April 22.—Five lives have been lost in the flooded lands of Lake county. A skiff was upset, causing the drowning of Jose Gans and his entire family, wife, two sons and a daughter.

## MR. MASON'S MAIDEN SPEECH.

## ILLINOIS SENATOR MAKES AN APPEAL FOR CHANGE OF RULES.

Washington, April 22.—Senator Mason of Illinois made his maiden speech in the senate Wednesday and signalized it by some breezy criticisms on the rules of the senate. The speech was in support of a resolution introduced by the Illinois senator directing the committee on rules to report a rule by which a debate could be closed, and the previous question ordered.

Mr. Hoar (Rep., Mass.), one of the veterans of the senate, replied briefly to Mr. Mason. He pointed out that little could be expected from the committee on rules, as several of the members were engaged on the tariff bill and other work.

Mr. Gorman (Dem., Md.) moved to refer the resolution to the rules committee. The roll was called on Mr. Gorman's motion to refer, and it prevailed—32 to 24.

Most of the day was given to the bankruptcy bill. The vote of the substitute and amendments will be taken at 3 p. m. today.

It was agreed that a committee of fifteen senators should represent the senate at the coming Grant memorial ceremonies.

## Bloomingdale, Mich., Fire Swept.

Kalamazoo, Mich., April 22.—Fire broke out shortly after midnight Tuesday in Charles E. Gibson's bakery at Bloomingdale, on the South Haven Railroad, and before it was controlled destroyed eleven buildings, leaving but two business places standing. The loss is about \$20,000, with small insurance.

## Queen Namae Is Exiled.

San Francisco, April 22.—The barkentine City of Papete, just arrived from Tahiti, brought news confirming the report that Queen Namae of Raiatea Island was captured by the French and sent into exile with her husband and the principal chiefs.

Women at Rock Island.

Rock Island, Ill., April 22.—Two hundred delegates from various parts of the northwest are attending the twenty-sixth annual convention of the Woman's Presbyterian board of missions of the northwest, which met here for a two days' session. Mrs. Henry Forsyth of Chicago presiding.

## BASE BALL SEASON OPENS. THE SALARY BILL

## PUSHED UP A PEG

## ALD. S. C. BURNHAM IS THE PRESIDENT

NEW COUNCIL MET AND ORGANIZED LAST NIGHT.

Dr. James Gibson is Health Officer, and Henry Hemming and D.W. Watt Are Assessors--Mayor Thoroughgood's Message Read--The Standing Committees Named.

President of the Council, S. C. BURNHAM. Health Officer, - DR. JAMES GIBSON. Assessor, East Side, - - D. W. WATT. Assessor, West Side, - - H. HEMMING. Janitor, - - - PATRICK RILEY.

Standing Committees.

Finance--Burnham, Millmore, Gilkey. Judiciary--McLean, Fifield, McKey.

Fire and Water--McKey, McLean, Kothman, Stoddard, Fifield.

Highways and Bridges--Millmore, McLean, Fifield, Burnham, Gilkey.

Lighting--Jones, Kothman, McKey, Burnham, Rice.

Sewerage--Gilkey, Stoddard, Millmore, Rice, Jones.

Schools--Fifield, Jones, Burnham, Gilkey, Millmore.

Police--McLean, Kothman, Stoddard.

License--Stoddard, McLean, Kothman.

Parks--Kothman, Burnham, McKey, Jones, Rice.

Printing--Rice, Jones, McKey.

The common council met and organized last night, electing officers as above stated, and at the conclusion of the reading of the message, Mayor Thoroughgood named the above-standing committee.

The Mayor's Message.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE COMMON COUNCIL:

Gentlemen--April 20, 1894, I had the pleasure of addressing the common council of this city for the second time. At that time mention was made of the whole country suffering from trade depression, with indications of its continuing. Carefulness in municipal expenditures was suggested and I think, fairly carried out.

Today every merchant, every manufacturer and in fact every adult person knows that those times have continued and at this date no improvement has shown itself.

For this reason, then, it behoves this city council to economize as much as possible where that can be done. This council is composed of business men who have their own matters to see to and today are compelled to manage their affairs with more care and have to be satisfied with less trade, smaller margins of profit, and the smallest details of their business requiring closer care and a more general fear of incurring debt. These facts cannot be denied. Dull trade is not local. It is all over the country alike and in all business alike.

This being a fact is good reason that the resources of this city should receive good judgment in their distribution. As mayor of this city for the coming two years, I commence unpledged. I am not here as a republican or a democrat. Not even a renegade republican or a flop-over, but I am here to assist this council in giving Janesville a clean administration.

The Janesville Gazette, a paper I have subscribed to for the past thirty years, and shall continue to do so, did not make their point in printing what was mutually understood by the business manager and myself was not to be interviewed. The stand taken by them was all right. I have no fault to find with their taking the part of the regular nominee, but, although not many, some of their remarks were very caustic to me and could just as well have been let alone. They were no credit to them and I now believe my actions did not deserve them. However, I went into the race trusting for my success on what the voters knew of me. I stand before you as per card published ahead of all candidates and in all our city papers as a citizens' candidate for all the people, irrespective of politics, nationality, creed or color, and stand before you tonight personally responsible for my actions, and have nothing to recall. I shall endeavor with the council's help (which I am quite sure I will get) to give Janesville a business administration free from the usual political squabbles, which are not pleasant and in my judgment not required. I am not anxious nor do I think it good taste, to criticise any action of the old council. But I must emphatically state at this, my inauguration, I am absolutely opposed to any increase of equipment or of salary in any of the departments, unless absolute necessity requires it.

Schools.

From my knowledge of the schools, I believe they fully compare with larger cities in the state. I have no

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way of knowing farther than reading the proceedings of the school board. I believe the board of education will see to it that its high standard already reached will be maintained. I shall, however, recommend that the allowance be kept within a reasonable limit. I notice that the board has considerable balance to its credit. This being a fact perhaps something can be saved to the tax payers in the next year's appropriation. The committee on schools will be expected to give this their attention.

Police.

On this subject I am relieved from saying much. The law now in force takes away from the mayor and common council a matter many times unpleasant and one I feel pleased with the idea that that the management of the police department will not now be so much a question of politics. At the final meeting of the old council the salary question was settled. The police force from the chief down are men in whom the city government and citizens generally have confidence in their ability to subdue all lawlessness and evil doing. The city has reason to feel secure with the present police force and it is gratifying that the expense in this department is nominal compared with other cities larger and smaller than Janesville.

License.

At the election, April 6, it was voted to continue license. I am not aware there has been any serious trouble in the city the past year and as the law is clearly defined, there should be none. The police will be expected to keep the streets clear from unpleasant sights, enforce the license laws and endeavor not to give the most temperate of our citizens cause for complaint even in a license city.

Streets and Bridges.

In my judgment this is the most vital, troublesome and expensive portion of our city government. For many years the attention of the committee on streets has been especially called by every mayor. It has been spoken of as I now speak of it and that usually ends it. It has almost become a fad, a common phrase if you please, "If I stub my toe on a nail, I'll sue the city." The judgments, costs, etc., the past few years are most astounding. I am quite sure no street commissioner can personally attend to these things. I believe if any one, Mr. Watson, the late commissioner, could have done so were it possible. The committee on highways can not get to work too soon and formulate some plan whereby the city can get a let up on these humiliating and extravagant damage suits. My judgment is, one ward boss in each ward, whose business would be to control and repair all minor defects in sidewalks and make reports where new ones are needed to the commissioner and he to the common council. Good would result. Citizens must be assured of reasonable safety in passing over walks. Only by careful inspection and repairs can we hope to escape the annoyance and expense of litigation on account of injuries alleged to have been received because of defective sidewalks. I here read you a list of damage suits from May 15th, 1888 to date. With one exception, where the city in 1888 paid \$746.80 are small until 1893, then we get it hard. These are judgments and costs. The statement will astonish you. The aldermen from every ward ought to put on their thinking caps and formulate some plan of remedy. I am safe in saying that all these suits paid and pending are handled on the part of attorneys on a commission if successful, the clients usually having nothing to lose. Looking over the list we find since 1893 enough money paid out to capitalize a small bank. It will also show these damage suits are becoming more frequent.

May 15, 1888, J. B. Doe, Jr. .... \$ 161.53  
Sept. 1, 1888, Wilson Lane ..... 746.80  
Dec. 20, 1888, Fethers, Jeffris & Fifield ..... 34.00  
May 5, 1890, W. G. Wheeler ..... 59.90  
Nov. 1, 1890, Ed. F. Carpenter ..... 108.00  
July 17, 1890, Ed. F. Carpenter ..... 8.00  
Nov. 30, 1891, E. M. Hyzer ..... 38.00  
Oct. 9, 1893, Dunwidie, Goldin & Wheeler ..... 627.64  
Dec. 4, 1893, Fethers, Jeffris & Fifield ..... 5,329.90  
Nov. 20, 1894, Fethers, Jeffris & Fifield ..... 5,396.90  
Nov. 6, 1895, Sarah E. Joyce ..... 1,200.20

A total of ..... \$13,778.33  
Now that it is interesting reading, we will see what we have to face now. You will remember the following suits are pending. What the result will be we do not know, but it is fair to presume the city will get the worst end of it. The names of the parties to the suits are as follows:

Ann Collins vs. City of Janesville, supreme court, Wisconsin.  
Patrick Collins vs. City of Janesville, Dane county circuit court.

Mary Selleck vs. City of Janesville, Rock county circuit court.  
Alfred Selleck vs. City of Janesville, Rock county circuit court.

Mary Gagan, vs. City of Janesville, Walworth county circuit court.

Simon Gagan, vs. City of Janesville, Rock county circuit court.

Victoria Hyer, vs. City of Janesville, Dane county circuit court.

Fredrick Hyer, vs. City of Janesville, Rock county circuit court.

Rebecca Miller, vs. City of Janesville, Rock county circuit court.

Hannah Pickering, vs. City of Janesville, Rock county circuit court.

There is no question but many owners of sidewalks could keep them in repair with very little effort. They should realize the fact, the payment of these damage suits comes out of their pocket and it seems unfair to have those property owners who keep their walks in good order pay for those who don't. This showing ought to make an impression on every alderman. The whole matter is in your hands, and as stated above I believe a sort of a section boss in every ward would largely fill the bill. It is in the power of the common council to

enforce safe sidewalks, and it should be done without fear or favor.

Repairing Streets

This requires a better system and the use of better material and that with more care towards its lasting qualities. The city is improved by making the roadways better over which traffic must come if it comes at all. The street commissioner should see that parties who have occasion to disturb the road bed for any purpose be required to tamp back the earth into the excavation they have made, beginning at the bottom and tamping sufficiently to replace all the earth that has been disturbed. A ridge left above the excavation is proof positive that the work has not been properly done.

Sewerage.

This question still keeps hanging fire. I will not trouble the council with speaking much on the subject. I am against any unnecessary expense, but this one I don't look at as unnecessary from present indications. We will have a large number of people who, I am afraid, will be idle this summer, as well as at present. If Janesville should undertake the sewer system and the work be done with Janesville labor, it would be a means of finding work for our citizens and furnish us a sewer system which eventually must come. The sewer committee would do well to consider this and if need be call in consultation one or two representative tax payers from each ward to get their views on the subject. The mayor would feel like encouraging a system of sewerage for two reasons: One of which is to give work to our people; the other is because of the sanitary danger to the city by not having one.

Gas Light.

The light question this year will require your attention. I understand the electric light contract expires about September next. I am not able to say much concerning the satisfaction given since the adoption of electric light, but I am sure it is the coming light. I understand the facilities for electric lighting are much superior to that at the time the contract was let. The common council will have to provide for the lighting again. Good judgment and business methods on your part should be used in letting all contracts, whether lighting or any other. You should know you are negotiating with the city's resources. You should be sure you are getting the worth of your money. Allow of no technicality in a contract that will not assure the city a rebate or failure to provide as per contract. That is what you would do were it a matter of your private affairs. You would want value received and as reasonable in price as possible consistent with good service. The lighting fund should have the council's close consideration.

Fire Department.

The fire department now comes under the head of the new law just passed and I am only inclined to give my views on further expenditures. Not many citizens can judge better than myself. I find that when the tax levy is collectable it bothers me much more to step up to Mr. Father's desk and pay up than before. It matters not whether a large tax or a small one, whether a merchant or a mechanic, whether a tax on your home is \$50 or \$5 per year, it is more burdensome to meet it now and only by the city government trimming off the corners in expenditures wherever possible can the burdens be lessened. The idea of the purchase of a chemical engine and additions to the house, while it makes the department more complete, the city cannot undertake the expense.

The cost of the department has largely increased from time to time. That, perhaps, has brought it up to its present standard of perfection, but the committee in charge should now call a halt and in asking for future appropriations, trim off the expense as much as possible without diminishing its usefulness. The tax payers ask it, the dull times demand it.

Fire Police.

The above department has never been recognized nor their usefulness acknowledged further than reports through the columns of our papers. I am told that in 1896 fifty-four runs were made, in thirteen of which the fires were extinguished with chemicals and without water; in 1897, fourteen runs, in which water was used on two chemicals on three; balance were broken wires and defective chimneys, at all of which both the departments were present. Aside from the fire police duty these men respond to ambulance duty, for which they are entitled to the heartiest thanks of the whole city. I am pleased to know the best of feeling exists between our fire police and the fire department, and much of this friendship between the two companies, I am told, is largely due to Chief Spencer's courtesy to them in many ways. Remarks on the efficiency and usefulness of the fire police has never before found a place at any inauguration of a new council, and now it is spoken of in kindness and admiration for the twenty gentlemen composing the fire police, who are not a part of the city government nor under their control, but who are a useful adjunct to our already splendid fire department, and I feel pleased I have the honor of making special mention of their work before the common council.

Library.

The patronage of the public library continues to increase, both as to volumes drawn out for home reading and the use of the reference books and reading tables. There has been added

almost one thousand volumes during the past year, largely made up of standard and reference books. It is gratifying to notice that this department of the city government always keeps within its means, and I think moderate in its demands for money, and while I speak in a satisfactory manner concerning the library, where the pruning hook can be used without lessening its usefulness, it should be done. The library board will know the meaning of this.

Finance

The city treasurer's report up to April 15, 1897, is here appended. I am glad to note a respectable balance shows itself in most of the funds. It will be a future duty of the city clerk to read off to the council the balances in all ward funds at least once a month. This will keep the aldermen in each ward posted and serve as a tab on their funds without consulting the clerk individually. The city's balances are as follows:

School fund.....	\$8,136.52
General fund.....	2,754.20
Fire and water.....	1,594.72
Library.....	1,083.77
Lighting.....	4,573.64
Bridge.....	801.64
Municipal court.....	258.42
Bonded debt.....	1,050.00
Judgment fund.....	4.54
Transferred certificate.....	845.00
First ward.....	602.78
Second ward.....	243.12
Third ward.....	365.01
Fourth ward.....	143.03
Fifth ward.....	65.34

Organization Perfected.

After Major Thoroughgood had closed the message by announcing the committees, Alderman Burnham moved that the rules of the old council be adopted, and the motion prevailed.

Alderman Stoddard nominated Alderman Burnham as president of the council; Alderman McLean seconded the nomination; and Alderman Burnham was elected by unanimous vote.

Alderman Burnham moved that the council proceed to elect a health officer. Aldermen Jones and Gilkey were named as tellers, and four ballots were taken, as follows:

	1st	2d	3d	4th
James Gibson.....	4	5	5	6
O. P. Robinson.....	4	4	5	4
R. W. Edden.....	2	1	..	..
Total.....	10	10	10	10

Dr. James Gibson was declared elected.

Assessors Are Chosen.

Alderman McLean moved that the council elect an assessor for the west side of the river. A ballot was taken. Henry Hemming receiving ten votes.

Alderman Burnham moved that an assessor be elected for the west side of the river. A ballot was taken, D. W. Watt receiving 9 votes and J. H. Balcom one.

On Ald. McLean's motion, Patrick Riley was reelected janitor.

Ald. Burnham moved that the first regular meeting of the new council be held on May 3 and on each alternate Monday thereafter. Adopted.

The boards of C. L. Valentine who was elected school commissioner at large and L. F. Patten who has elected justice of the peace were received, referred to the judiciary committee, reported back and accepted. The council then adjourned.

WANTED--Girl for general house-work at once. C. A. Sanborn, 162 South Main street.

## Spring

Is made a necessity by the im-

# THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## A PLEASANT SURPRISE PARTY WHITEHEAD OPPOSED BILL.

Friends of Thomas F. Abbott Invade His Home Last Evening.

Thomas F. Abbott of Hose Company No. 2, was pleasantly surprised by a large number of friends last evening, at his home on North Main street. J. C. McGinley of Hose Company No. 1, "decoyed" Mr. Abbott across the river, and kept him at No. 1 station on one pretense or another, until the guests had taken possession of Mr. Abbott's residence. Mr. Abbott could not have been more surprised if an alarm had come in from box 6954382, but he soon recovered. It was after midnight before the guests "took up and returned to quarters." During the evening Mr. Abbott was presented with a handsome book case. The guests were:

Messrs. and Mesdames—  
M. Wahlen, Arthur Ott,  
T. Abbott, J. Connors,  
J. C. McGinley.

Misses—  
Etta Whalen, Celia Ott,  
Ida Yahn, Nellie Brooks,  
Maggie Houghton, Nellie Tobin,  
Nellie Houghton, Mary McGinley,  
Mary Gibbons, Nellie Ryan,  
Winnie McGinley.

Messrs—  
Will Doheny, Thomas Clark,  
Edward Abbott, Dennis McGinley,  
Will McGinley, John Horn,  
Joseph Abbott, Wm. Conroy,  
James Dugan, William Abbott,  
Lawrence Nelson, Edward McCue.

### TWO TAILS.

#### Also Two Tales.

Several years ago one of the popular humorists, scientifically inclined, concluded to make some experiments with iced tea, the popular summer drink. The result of his investigations is given in his own words:—

"I secured a sample of the tea at one of the restaurants in town to get a fair average of the article used. I took a teaspoon of the liquid to the household pump; it was stirred into a large tub filled with water and in a moment the color of the tea had disappeared. Anyone will admit that this solution would seem very harmless even to the healthy lower animals. We had some young puppies in the barnyard, and I procured two of the smallest of them; they were allowed to lap at the liquid, and then their heads were held under the water for fifteen minutes. It resulted in the death of both the puppies, and the dangerous properties of the decoction were made apparent."

It is all very well to have a bit of fun from the experiments in food and drink, but there are many nowadays who are really hurt, and hurt seriously from the use of coffee.

A new breakfast beverage has been procured which looks like coffee in the deep seal-brown color, and which changes to the rich golden brown of thick Mocha when cream is added. It has been introduced extensively this season, and is made from cereals, the common grain of the field. It is nourishing and healthful, without having the hurtful prorities of coffee. The weakest stomach can handle the grain coffee, and the taste and color is so agreeable and coffee-like that it fills the place nicely. This food-drink, Postum, can be given to small children regularly for coffee at breakfast, and is a liquid food made from the grains the Creator intended for man's subsistence. Manufactured by the Postum Cereal Co., Linn, Battle Creek, Mich.

"Just as good" as Postum Cereal Food Coffee, are words used to defraud the public.

Bicycles Free for Janeville Boys.

The Gazette has a plan that enables any bright boy to take his pick of the 1897 wheels. Work among friends and neighbors after school hours will fulfill the conditions. Call at The Gazette office for particulars.

### COMMON SENSE CURE.

**Pyramid Pile Cure Cures Piles Permanently by Curing the Cause.**

**Remarkable Remedy Which Is Bringing Comfort to Thousands of Sufferers.**

Probably half the people who see this article suffer from piles. It is one of the commonest diseases and one of the most obstinate. People have it for years and just because it is not immediately fatal they neglect it. Carelessness causes no end of suffering. Carelessness about so simple a thing as piles has often caused death. Hemorrhages occur from no apparent cause and loss of blood causes death. Hemorrhages occur during surgical treatment, often causing death.

Piles are simple in the beginning and easily cured. They can be cured even in the worst stages, without pain or loss of blood, quickly, surely and completely. There is only one remedy that it does it.

**Pyramid Pile Cure.** It always the inflammation immediately heals the irritated surface and with continued treatment reduces the swelling and puts the membranes into good, sound healthy condition. The cure is thorough and permanent.

Here are some voluntary and unsolicited testimonials we have lately received:

Mrs. M. C. Hinkley, 601 Mississippi St., Indianapolis, Ind., says: Have been a sufferer from the pain and annoyance of Piles for fifteen years, the Pyramid Pile Cure and Pyramid Piles gave me immediate relief and in a short time a complete cure.

Major Dean, of Columbus, Ohio, says: I wish to add to the number of certificates as to the benefits derived from the Pyramid Pile Cure. I suffered from piles for forty years and from itching piles for twenty years and two boxes of the Pyramid Pile Cure has effectively cured me.

Most druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure or will get it for you if you ask them to. It is one dollar per package and is put up only by the Pyramid Drug Co., Albion, Mich.

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Piano Duet..... Misses Gertrude and Nellie Sughrue.  
Piano Duet..... Misses Nellie Heffernan and Eva Pelant.  
Vocal Solo..... "A Day Dream"..... Miss Gertrude Casey.  
Piano Solo..... Miss Schmidtley.  
Piano Solo..... Miss Beatrice Caldwell  
Chorus..... "Ave Regina Coelorum"..... Accompanist, Miss Beatrice Caldwell.

### THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

PRAYER meetings.

BUTCHER'S ball.

BOARD of Education.

JANESEVILLE Commandery No 2, K. T.

Sale of seats for the Orpheum Star company's engagement.

BUSINESS meeting of the Epworth League of the Court Street M. E. church.

BOWER City Temple, Patriarchal Circle.

### WOMAN'S HOPE.

#### A Story of Rescue Due to the Indians.

An Example That Goes to Prove the Tremendous Benefit that the Indian Has Been to Mankind.

The following letter is of interest to women, and especially to that class of women who drag themselves through life, suffering innumerable tortures, living without hope of release from pain, and looking forward only to death as the great doctor who will make them well.

"Parham, Minn., Kickapoo Indian Medicine Co.: Gentlemen:—I heartily recommend Kickapoo Indian Remedies. I suffered with poor health for

everything until at last I

year round.

It worked like magic. I now enjoy perfect health and I am over 30

pounds heavier than before taking your remedy.

I have also used your Worm Killer for my

children. It has done wonders for

them and never will be without the Kickapoo Indian

Remedies in the house. Yours respectfully,

ELIZABETH LATTERER."

These words, coming from a woman, should appeal especially to other women. Her sufferings gave way to one of the wonderful Kickapoo Indian Remedies. Other sufferers have the same chance of regaining lost health. Kickapoo Indian Prairie Plant for all female diseases is the most wonderful remedy known to man. It is for sale by all druggists, for \$1. per box. Kickapoo Indian Sagwa for a general breaking down of the system and for the cure of diseases resulting from a disordered condition of the kidneys, liver, stomach and blood is positively invaluable. These, as well as other Kickapoo Indian Remedies, are harmless, although powerful and quick in their action and should be resorted to for a cure which they will effect where doctors and other remedies have failed.

FOND A pair of gold bowed spectacles, in red leather case. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this notice.

### FOR RENT.

**FOR RENT** Seven-room house on Cornelia 2d ward. Enquire at 158 Cornelia St. In good repair. Nicely located.

**FLAT FOR RENT**—Enquire at No. 3, South Jackson street.

**FOR RENT**—Six-room house for \$6; 8 room L. R. Treat, Room 1. Carpenter Block.

### FOR SALE.

**FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE**—Blickensderfer type-writer. Writes 84 characters. Cost \$35; small machine to be used on common desk; weighs six pounds; used by Western Union Telegraph Company as standard machine for operators. Owner has no further use for it, and will sell cheap or trade. Address "Typewriter".

This office, or call.

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## THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1707—Henry Fielding, dramatist and novelist, born; died 1754.  
1724—Immanuel Kant, German philosopher, born; died 1804.  
1745—Lindley Murray, noted grammarian, born in Swanton, Pa.; died 1826.  
1765—James Graham, Scottish poet, born; died 1811.  
1791—James Buchanan, fifteenth president of the United States, born; died 1888.  
1815—Andrew Gregg Curtin, famous war governor of Pennsylvania, born in Center county, Pa.; died 1894.  
1822—The Turks massacred the Greeks in the island of Scio.  
1845—The ships Erebus and Terror abandoned by Sir John Franklin and his men.  
1875—John Harper of Harper & Bros. died; born 1796.  
1888—General William Dwight, a noted veteran of the Federal army, died in Boston; born in Springfield 1811. Admiral Charles Stewart Boggs died in New Brunswick, N.J.; born 1811.  
1893—General Edward Fitzgerald Beale, a Union veteran and ex-United States minister to Austria, died in Washington; born 1822.  
1896—General Noah L. Jeffries, a Federal veteran and a lawyer of distinction, died in Washington; born 1828.

## THE MAYOR'S MESSAGE.

Mayor Thoroughgood discusses city matters from the standpoint of a heavy tax-payer. His recommendations will receive careful consideration.

He realizes the cost to the city of poor side-walks, and admits the futility of repairing streets with gutter-scrapings.

The mayor states principles of municipal economy that are uncontroversial, and at the same time lays out enough work for himself so he will have little time from now on to recall his campaign manifesto.

Mayor Thoroughgood has the satisfaction of knowing he is not the first man to swallow his own campaign statement.

## THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW.

Charles E. Miller.

Charles E. Miller died at 5:30 o'clock this morning at his home on Highland avenue, of cancer, aged fifty-nine years. Mr. Miller had been a sufferer for many years. His wife died about eight years ago, but two sons and two daughters survive. Mr. Miller came to Wisconsin from Cooperstown, N. Y., in 1845. The funeral will be held from the home at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. The burial will take place at the Turtle cemetery.

Bertha M. Pitcher.

Bertha M. Pitcher died at the home of her parents, in the town of Harmony, at 8:30 o'clock last evening, of consumption, aged twenty-one years. She had been sick about two years, and leaves two brothers, Walter and Stephen. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the home.

Mrs. S. A. Lord.

Edgerton, April 22.—[Special]—Mrs. S. A. Lord, widow of Dr. S. A. Lord, and mother of Dr. James Lord, died at her home in this city this morning, after a long illness. She had lived in Edgerton for about forty years. Eight children survive her. The funeral will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

## CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE

Chicago Board of Trade quotations furnished The Gazette by Robert Lindblom & Co. to Spahn & Law Commission Co., No. 24 West Milwaukee street.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.
May Wheat.....	74 $\frac{1}{8}$	74 $\frac{1}{4}$	72 $\frac{1}{2}$	73 $\frac{1}{4}$
July Wheat.....	73 $\frac{1}{4}$	74 $\frac{1}{4}$	71 $\frac{1}{2}$	72 $\frac{1}{2}$
May Corn.....	24 $\frac{1}{4}$	24 $\frac{1}{4}$	24 $\frac{1}{4}$	24 $\frac{1}{4}$
July Corn.....	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	25 $\frac{1}{2}$	25 $\frac{1}{2}$
May Oats.....	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	17 $\frac{1}{4}$
July Oats.....	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	18	18
May Pork.....	\$8.45	\$8.47	\$8.40	\$8.47
July Pork.....	8.57	8.57	8.52	8.57
May Lard.....	4.15	4.15	4.12	4.12
May Short Ribs.	4.67	4.67	4.67	4.67

Liverpool cables  $\frac{1}{4}$  penny lower than yesterday's close.

Minneapolis and Duluth receipts: Wheat 307 cars. Puts 71 $\frac{1}{2}$  Cals 76 $\frac{1}{2}$  Curb 73% Chicago Car Lots: Wheat, 11 corn, 142 oats, 121 Chicago hogs 14,000. Estimated for tomorrow 11,000.

## THE GRANT MONUMENT DEDICATION

Excursion Rates to New York.

On the 27th of April, in the magnificent Mausoleum upon the banks of the Hudson river, Columbia will enshrine the ashes of her greatest captain. The event is one without a parallel in the history of the nation, and the ceremonies will be of unwonted pomp, plendor and solemnity. The occasion will be graced by the presence of the president, the supreme court, and the great civic officers of the nation and states. The army and navy, the National Guard of the states, the Grand Army of the Republic and other patriotic and civil organizations will unite to form the most superb pageant ever seen in America. Many foreign nations will send special representatives and ships of war to join our own matchless fleet in majestic procession to the Tomb of Grant.

The B. & O. R. R. will sell reduced rate excursion tickets to New York, April 23 to 26, inclusive, valid for return journey until May 4, inclusive, and good to stop off at Washington, returning. The round trip fare from Chicago will be \$24, and correspondingly low rates from points east.

For detailed information as to trains etc., address L. S. Allen, Assistant General Passenger Agent B. & O. R. R., Chicago.

## HEIMSTREET NAMED AGAIN.

Appointed for a Fourth Term on State Pharmacy Board.

E. B. Heimstreet of this city has received from Gov. Scofield notice of his reappointment as a member of the State Board of Pharmacy. The action by the governor meets the wishes of the pharmaceutical profession of the state, and is an appropriate recognition of Mr. Heimstreet's long and untiring services as secretary of the board.

He was first appointed to that body in 1882, and was made secretary of the board. He was reappointed in 1887, and again in 1892, the term now beginning making the fourth for which he has been named. He is in experience the oldest pharmacy board secretary in the United States, and during the fifteen years he has now served he was never absent from a meeting or late in arriving for one. His services have been especially valuable from the fact that he has a personal acquaintance with nearly every pharmacist in the state.

Mr. Heimstreet was educated for the medical profession, but abandoned the idea of practicing as a physician and went into the drug business in Janesville in 1868, and is still in business here. He took active part in organizing the Pharmaceutical Association, in securing the enactment of the pharmacy laws and in the establishment of the School of Pharmacy at the state university. During the greater part of this summer he will be in Milwaukee.

## ROCK COUNTY MAN HONORED

Charles F. P. Pullen. Formerly of Evansville, succeeds at Milwaukee.

Charles F. P. Pullen, who was on Tuesday appointed public debt commissioner by Mayor Rauschenberger, of Milwaukee, is cashier, and was one of the founders of the German-American bank, and for over fifteen years was connected with the bank of Evansville, serving in every office except that of president. For a time he was also engaged in banking in Baraboo. When the German-American bank was organized in 1892 Mr. Pullen was among those to launch the institution upon a prosperous existence, and he has been cashier ever since. The Milwaukee papers speak very highly of Mr. Pullen, and compliment the mayor on the appointment.

## HONOR FOR MALCOLM O. MOUAT

Janesville Man Elected To Head Office of the Phi. Psi.

Malcolm O. Mouat of this city, was elected to the head office at the fourth district council of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity which is holding its biennial meeting in Beloit. The convention was called to order yesterday by Mr. Mouat, archon of the district, in the Beloit chapter house, and will conclude this evening. Last night a party was given the visiting delegates at the chapter house, and this evening a banquet will be spread for their benefit. F. L. McNamara of this city, also attended the meeting.

## GAVE A LECTURE IN VERSE.

Rev. S. S. Steele Entertains a Milton Audience in a Novel Manner.

The lecture by the Rev. Spencer S. Steele, a retired Methodist clergyman of Whitewater at the Milton college chapel was a novelty. His topic was "Wisconsin's Pioneers" and it was written in verse, to the metre of Whittier's "Snow Bound" and its reading lasted forty-five minutes. The production was replete with interesting reminiscences of the sights, scenes and adventures incident in the early life of Wisconsin.

## A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

This is prayer meeting night. The Board of Education will meet tonight.

PLEASE read our large ad on page 4 T. J. Ziegler.

The Butchers' ball will be given at the Armory tonight.

BOWER City Temple, Patriarchal Circle, meets tonight.

Rev. and Mrs. E. H. Perce, of the Presbyterian church, left yesterday for Baraboo, to attend a meeting of the Presbytery this evening.

Rex Zeigler to recover your umbrella. Old frames can be made as good as new with our covers at 75 cents. \$1 and \$1.50.

Mrs. Pence presented a paper before the Woman's Foreign Missionary society yesterday afternoon at the meeting of the Presbytery at Baraboo.

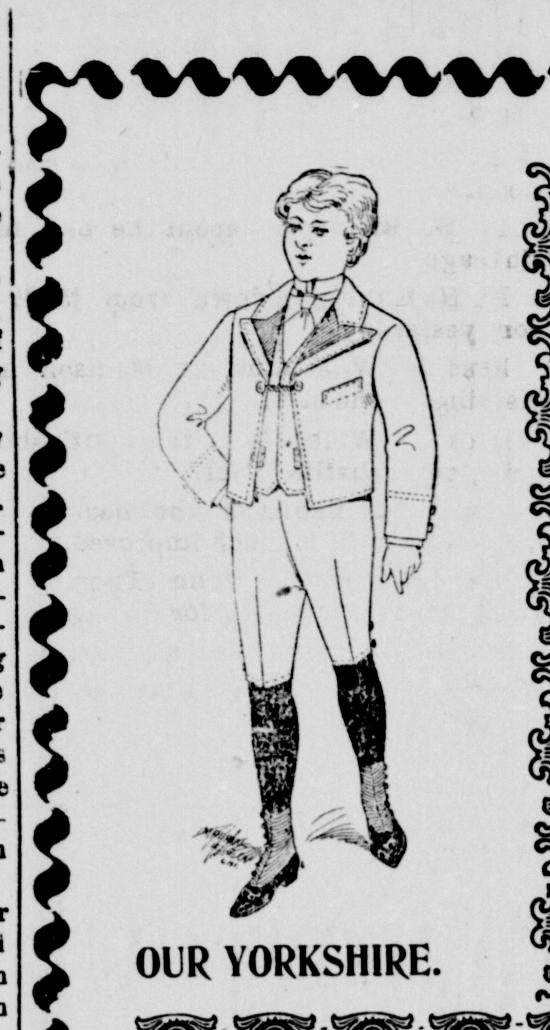
The sale of reserved seats for Rogers' Orpheum Stars company will commence at the box office this evening at 7 o'clock. Prices 15, 25, 35 and 50 cents.

The Married Ladies' Sodality of St. Peter's church, assisted by the Young Ladies' Sodality of the same church, held their annual supper and sale at Columbia hall last night.

Rogers' Orpheum Stars company will open a two nights' engagement at the Myers Grand tomorrow evening. They are said to give a very enjoyable and up-to-date performance.

On April 28 and 29, Marie Camp No. 310, R. N. of A. will give a fair and dance at the M. W. hall at Hanover, Wis. Fleck's orchestra of Brodhead, has been engaged.

Golf and bike hose and leggings, belts everything that is new, sweaters. Bicycle suit with cap to match. Bicycle shirts can be worn with separate bellows and cuffs, very swell. Can all be seen in our show windows today. T. J. Ziegler.



OUR YORKSHIRE.

# The Newest And Nippiest Creations for Little Tots. . . .

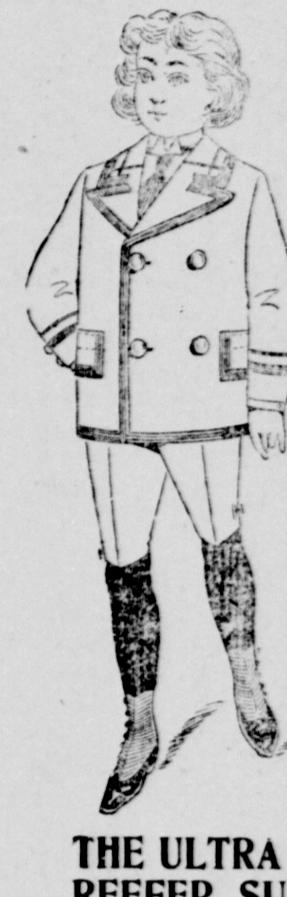
This year we present to mothers of boys a Suit that has never been equalled heretofore for its beauty and nobility by effect. A decidedly new creation for lads from three to nine years of age, made with little coats, Prince Albert Lapels, with silk facing (or without), and separate vest, made with fly front;—actually a gem of perfection. It's worth your while to come and see it even if you don't buy. You know we take pride in showing our newest designs. This suit is made just like cut.

## A Reefer Suit for Boys From 4 to 8 Years Old.

This Suit is made double breasted, (just like cut), large lapels, deep sailor color, fancy trimmed with braid and soutache. This is our newest idea in a Reefer Suit. A little boy dressed in a reefer always looks neat and tidy. The harmony of colors and the durability of the fabric will repay parents for the little money it costs.

**OUR CHILDREN'S DEPT.** is more complete than ever before with novel ties. We have pretty little middies at \$2.50 to \$5.00. Little junior reefers at \$2.00 to \$6.00. We are showing a large line of blouse waists at 50c to \$1.00. We invite every mother to pay us a call.

EB. J. SMITH, M'gr. T. J. ZIEGLER.



THE ULTRA REEFER SUIT

## TRUSSES....

There should be no guess-work in the fitting of Trusses. A truss will never do what it should do unless the fit is absolutely perfect.

## We Fit Trusses.

We have fitted them for years. Our experience is backed by an assortment that includes every new idea and common sense in truss making

## Our Stock is Complete.

## Let Us Fit You.

The price will be just as comfortable as the truss.

Palmer & Bonesteel, DRUGGISTS.

Milkmaid's Convention Friday Evening.

One of the most pleasing events of the season will occur at the auditorium of the First M. E. church, Friday evening, April 23, where the Milk Maid's will hold their convention. Captain Charles L. Hanson has been instructing the girls in their drills and all those knowing this worthy gentleman need not be told that the entertainment will be a success. The girls will be beautifully uniformed. The convention itself will be very interesting and all those contemplating a dairy business will do well to be present as they will be able to gather some very valuable suggestions. The admission to this pleasing event has been placed at the nominal price of 15 cents a ticket or two for 25 cents.

Notes From Porter.

Porter, April 21—Lindsay Earle is a jurymen at Janesville this week. Mrs. J. Peach has been very ill of pleurisy, but is convalescing. Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. M. Ford, are both getting better also. W. Dabson has moved into the tenement house owned by J. Collins. Miss Lucile Matthews has been engaged to teach the spring term of school in the White Star district and Miss Nellie Peach in Forest Academy. Johanie Dooley has boats to let on Gibb's lake.

JANESVILLE Commandery No. 2, Knights Templar, will meet this evening.

Trade Laborers on Strike.

Cincinnati, Ohio, April 22.—From 250 to 300 employees of the Addyston Pipe Company struck Wednesday against a new regulation requiring them to work by the piece instead of by the day. Tuesday was the first pay day under the new plan, and the men claim it does them an injustice.

Williams' Kidney Pills.

Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you overworked your system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in the joints, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire to pass urine? Williams' Kidney Pills, will pass new life into the diseased organs tone up the system and make a new man of you. Sample Free. By mail 50 cents per box.

WILLIAMS' M'F CO Prop's Cleveland, O. For sale by Geo. E. King & Co, druggists.



## Fidelity Rupture Cure

Home Office, Brown Bldg., ROCKFORD, ILL.

AT JANESEVILLE, WIS., EVERY TUESDAY,

Office over Brown Bros. Shoe Store.

8:30 TO 12 A. M. AND 1:30 P. M.

Ladies' \$25.00 Gold Watch. . . .

With.....

## BICYCLE CRANKS!



\$50

made to order with my every part is bearing turned truly. I have made bicycles for years. Was employed in one of the largest factories in the West and thoroughly understand every part of the business. Every wheel GUARANTEED and repaired FREE throughout the season.

Do you see the advantage in buying of me? ? ? ? ?

F. RANDALL,

15 North Main Street.

Car of REX Patent flour is here == it's equal to the best milling. With every sack a ticket on the

\$25.00 gold watch, fully warranted; also a ticket on the beautiful Oak Sideboard to be given away May 1st. After the first 500 sacks are sold the watch will be given away.

Be sure and ask for your ticket with every sack.

F. S. WINSLOW,

La Vista Grocery.

## THE BOSTON STORE

We sell best Poiled Oil for painting houses and barns, 45c gal. Machine Oil, 25c gal. Harness Oil, 75c gal.

## COURTS AND POLICE WERE BUSY TODAY

WILLIAM HENRY JARVIS BE-  
FORE JUDGE PHELPS.

Officers Think He Will Plead Guilty to  
the Horse Stealing Charge—Farmer  
Gates Held For Assault at Beloit—  
Cooksburg Firm Identify the Goods  
Lyman Had.

Henry William Jarvis was led into  
the municipal court this morning by  
Sheriff Acheson, to answer to the  
charge of horse stealing. District At-  
torney Jackson appeared for the state,  
and Attorney John Cunningham repre-  
sented the prisoner. After a fifteen-  
minutes interview with his counsel, Jar-  
vis waived examination, and his trial  
was set for 9 o'clock on the morning of  
April 28. In default of \$600 bonds he  
was remanded to jail. There is little  
doubt, the police think, but what Jar-  
vis will plead guilty, and the chances  
are that he will spend considerable  
time in the penitentiary. He does not  
seem to be very bright, and it is claimed  
that he is about half witted.

Gates Case Heard at Beloit

District Attorney Jackson examined  
E. F. Gates in Justice Dow's court at  
Beloit yesterday on the charge of  
beating his hired man, Eric E. Kurtz,  
with a pitch fork. Gates was held for  
trial, charged with assault and  
battery. He will contend that he  
acted in self defense.

Mr. Gates is a farmer sixty-six years  
of age. Kurtz swore that he arrived  
home late on Saturday evening and  
not wanting to wake the family up,  
went to the hay mow in the barn to  
sleep. At 8 o'clock the next morning,  
he said, he was suddenly awakened by  
a rap on the head and looking up saw  
Gates stood over him with a pitch  
fork. A scuffle ensued and Kurtz re-  
ceived a severe beating. He says that  
he will prosecute Gates to the fullest  
extent of the law.

Identify Stolen Goods.

Members of the firm of Stebbins &  
Stebbins, of Cooksville, whose store  
was robbed some days ago, were in  
the city today and identified the goods  
at the jail as their property by means  
of the selling and cost marks.

Lyman, the prisoner is an entire  
stranger to them and it is the belief  
of the police that he is a very cunning  
tramp. He stoutly maintains his  
innocence but does not seem to give  
a satisfactory explanation as to  
how he came in possession of the  
articles.

Lyman was in court this afternoon,  
his examination was adjourned till  
April 26 at 10 o'clock, and in default  
of \$700 bail he was remanded to jail.  
The stolen goods were valued at \$93.  
"Lyman" now says his name is "Frank  
Smith."

## GAVE A CHARMING RECEPTION

Mesdames Douglass and McKey Entertain  
Delightfully This Afternoon

A charming reception was given  
this afternoon by Mrs. Douglass and  
her daughter, Mrs. George M. McKey  
at their home on Park Place. The  
hours were from 2 to 6 and two hundred  
invitations were issued. The  
rooms were tastefully decorated and  
light refreshments were served, while  
tea, coffee and chocolate were  
poured at small tables. Smith's  
orchestra played and those who pre-  
sided at the small tables were Mes-  
dames E. P. Doty, D. W. Watt, E. E.  
Spalding and Miss Sarah Richardson.  
Those assisting were: Mes-  
dames Odgen H. Fethers, John Win-  
ans, C. G. Williams, F. F. Stevens, J.  
W. St. John and H. D. McKinney,  
while the young ladies who had charge  
of the refreshments were Misses Jose-  
phine Carle, Mae Stevens, Mary  
Lunnell, Racine Boatwick, Ruth Cul-  
ver, Elizabeth Schicker, Louise El-  
dredge, Elizabeth Norcross, and Alice  
Ruger.

## AUSTIN HOME FROM SOUTH

People of Florida and Central America  
With the Cubans.

M. E. Austin is home from an eight-  
een weeks' visit in Florida and Central  
America. He says the people in that  
section of the country talk of nothing  
but the Cuban war. Mr. Austin spent  
some time in Key West. This city, he  
said, seemed to be fairly alive with Cu-  
ban sympathizers. He saw a filibuster-  
ing steamer off the coast of Florida  
that was about ready to start to aid  
the insurgents in Cuba. This infor-  
mation was imparted to him by the  
captain and sailors on the boat on  
which he was traveling. The fact  
seemed to be no secret. Mr. Austin  
contemplates a tour of Europe next  
year on his bicycle.

**ANCHOR CHOIR ORGANIZED.**  
Seventy-Five Singers Met at the Congregational Church Last Night

A choir to be composed of about  
seventy-five voices was organized at  
the Congregational church last even-  
ing. W. S. Jeffris was chosen as  
president while Frank A. Spoon was  
selected to act as secretary and treasurer.  
Prof. Kowalski was present and gave the choir an hour's training,  
and rehearsals will be held every week  
on Tuesday evenings at 8 o'clock to be  
under his direction. He receives \$5  
an hour for his services, and this ex-  
pense is met by a small contribution  
on the part of each member. About  
fifty of those present last evening  
signed as members.

Hammocks.

We have put in a stock of hammocks,  
the latest style, the prettiest colors  
with fringes and pillows. When you  
get ready to buy come and look our  
line over. Sanborn.

## A COLUMN OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

ROAD wagon sale at Taylor's.  
MONEY to loan at the Exchange.  
BARGAINS in road wagons at Tay-  
lor's.  
SPRING shoes at Richardson's are  
pretty.

JOIN the butchers at their ball this  
evening.

FOUR saddle ponies for sale cheap at  
the Exchange.

The good time of the year at the  
Butchers' ball tonight.

EVERYTHING you want in the vege-  
table line, at Sanborn's.

CALIFORNIA apricots 10 cents a can,  
three for 25c. Sanborn.

CLAIRE and Fred Capelle have pur-  
chased a Stearns tandem.

SOME good second hand buggies for  
sale cheap at the Exchange.

EAT bananas every day you can at  
10 cents a dozen. Sanborn.

PLENTY of fresh caught trout for  
Friday's dinner at Sanborn's.

NINETY-SEVEN American bicycles  
are beauties at F. A. Taylor's.

THE greatest of all fruit, bananas  
only 10 cents a dozen. Sanborn.

SPECIAL sale Saturday of misses'  
and children's shoes at Richardson's.

OUR ingrain carpets are cheap and  
pretty this year. Bort, Bailey & Co.

SEE our large line of gents' outside  
shirts from 15c to \$1. T. P. Burns.

SPECIAL sale Saturday of misses'  
and children's shoes at Richardson's.

GEORGE H. RUMMEL has sold 173  
cases of 1893 leaf to Eastern parties.

GREAT bargains in Misses' and chil-  
dren's shoes Saturday at Richardson's.

THE "Uncle Josh Spruceby" com-  
pany disbanded at Beloit last night.

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and children's shoes at Richardson's.

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and children's shoes at Richardson's.

SHIRT waists—1897 ones—Archie  
Reid & Co. show them today. Page 7  
tells.

CLEMONS' orchestra will play tonight  
at Hanover and tomorrow night at  
Magnolia.

E. G. FIFIELD's horse ran away this  
afternoon, and the buggy was  
broken.

THIS weather is just right for Lan-  
drell's seeds—the best for garden use.  
Sanborn.

No assortment of ladies' spring shoes  
like that of ours this spring, \$2.85 to  
\$4.00. Richardsons.

NOTHING like good butter on the ta-  
ble. Every day our private creamery  
is fine. Sanborn.

MANY reasons why Landrell's seeds  
should grow better than others, we  
can tell them. Sanborn.

WE have never shown such a choice  
line of ladies' waists as at present.  
Call and see them. T. P. Burns.

WANTED—A god competent kitchen  
girl at Smith's hotel. Good wages.  
Call early. E. O. Smith, prop.

THE Art League will meet with Miss  
Etta Capelle, 115 South High street,  
tomorrow afternoon, at 3 o'clock.

ARCHIE REID & CO., are doing a  
big business in the garment line.  
The tailor made suits are nobbiest in  
town.

THE finest chocolate creams in the  
city those original Italians 25 cents  
half pound or 40 cent full pound box.  
Sanborn.

ALL attending the Butchers' ball  
this evening will find a first class sup-  
per ready at 11:30 o'clock at E. J.  
Schmidley's West Milwaukee street  
restaurant.

ZEIGLER is selling a very swell gar-  
ment for children 3 to 9 years of age,  
called the "Yorkshire." It is worth  
your while to see it, even though you  
do not buy. Several styles in show  
window. T. J. Zeigler.

R. C. YEOMANS, the well known  
plumber, steam, and gas fitter, has  
purchased the business and stock of  
J. T. Stack & Co., and is now located  
on North Main street. Mr. Yeomans  
has been in the business in this city  
since 1874. Mr. Stack, it is said, is  
to remove to Superior.

THE Lowell Hardware Co. have the  
contract for replacing the roof on the  
Janeville Woolen Mills and at the  
School for the Blind which the wind  
demolized last Sunday. Over five  
tons of steel roofing is being used at  
the Woolen Mills alone. Lowell is  
after business and his reliable work  
and hustle bring things his way.

We have received and sold many  
trimmed hats this spring, trimm'd in  
one of the leading millinery houses of  
Chicago. We shall receive another  
shipment this week. If the ladies  
wish a stylish hat and at the same  
time save money call at the Fair. Call  
if only to get our prices and see how  
you get left by trading elsewhere.  
The Fair.

This Is The Night.

The Armory will present one of its  
greatest appearances this evening, the  
fourth annual Butchers' ball will be  
the event. The committee of arrange-  
ments have spared no expense in mak-  
ing preparations for this evening's  
pastime and as the party has been  
such a success in former years, the  
affair tonight is sure to be of a most  
entertaining nature. No disorderly  
characters will be tolerated and peo-  
ple have the assurance of the  
committee of meeting and mingling with  
thoroughly nice people.

Special For Saturday.

We are overstocked on misses' and  
children's shoes, and offer prices that  
are catchy for Saturday. Our large  
space, page 6, tells all about it. We  
have always catered for the trade of  
the little folks, and our stock is cer-  
tainly the strongest in the city. Rich-  
ardson's.

Hammocks.

We have put in a stock of hammocks,  
the latest style, the prettiest colors  
with fringes and pillows. When you  
get ready to buy come and look our  
line over. Sanborn.

## BIG ROW IS NOW ON AMONG STUDENTS

### UNIVERSITY MEN ARE MUCH STIRRED UP.

Glee and Banjo Clubs Blame the Fresh-  
men For the Chilly Reception They  
Got in This City, and Say They  
Were "Black-Listed" — Board of  
Managers to Hear the Complaints.

The fact that the U. W. glee and  
banjo clubs played to a small house  
in Janeville may stir up a row at  
Madison.

Some of the students charge that  
the chilly reception accorded the  
clubs in this city was due to the rival-  
ry among the students themselves and  
this point promises to be aired at the  
university.

Business Manager, E. R. McDonald,  
of the club says that he was informed  
that a number of the students who  
reside in this city had made it a  
point to tell that the clubs this year  
were not up to the usual standard.

This rumor quickly spread he says  
and had its effect. Consequently the  
musicians faced empty seats when  
Janeville was their first stand and  
they wanted to "make a hit."

The fact that the Rusk Lyceum  
party occurred the same night, re-  
sulted in much speculation, McDonald  
said, on the part of those interested as  
to which event would be the most pop-  
ular. The numerous students who at-  
tend the university de-  
ny that they influenced people in favor  
of the party and against the concert,  
but the matter, according to Manager  
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Rentschler-Koltertz.

George Rentschler, a well known  
young business man of this city and  
Miss Sophie Koltertz, of Lake Geneva,  
were married yesterday afternoon at  
the home of the bride. A reception

was given them on their return last  
night at the home of the groom on  
South Main street, he being a mem-  
ber of the firm of Rentschler Bros.,  
brothers.

Skelly-Reimann.

Frank Skelly and Miss Emma Reim-  
ann were married yesterday at  
Hinkley, Illinois. The groom is a son  
of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Skelly, of the  
town of Rock.

What About Carpet?

Are you going to need a new carpet  
this spring? Will you need new mat-  
tings or rugs? House cleaning time  
tells the tale, usually. The worn spots  
come to light when floor coverings are  
taken up. We are showing the  
nicest carpet, matting and rug  
stock that we have had for  
years, all new and of the choicest pat-  
terns the markets afford. We guaran-  
tee you a saving of from 10 to 20 per  
cent on every purchase from us, and  
the words mean just what they say.

It's not idle talk; compare prices and  
see. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A Miller's Song.

A sk for "Pearl White", its merits try;

Silently pure, none finer, you can't buy.

King of Janeville, "Pearl White" reigns

supreme.

For in all homes, this favorite Flour is seen;

On its merits, "Pearl White" is sold;

Rich in gluten, worth its weight in gold.

Pearl White an enviable reputation has won,

Exalted alike by Housekeepers everyone

A sk for "Pearl White" and none other take

Remember best bread and biscuits it will

make.

Look where you will go where you may.

Without a doubt "Pearl White" leads today.

Happy healthy homes bear in mind.

If indeed you see where "Pearl White" you find

T o J. M. Shackleton's wholesale orders send

Enjoy the best, why money for poor flour spend.

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER

Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength

and healthfulness. Assures the food against

all and all forms of adulteration common to

the cheap brands.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK

NEW DEPARTMENT

LADIES' WRAPPERS,

HOUSE DRESSES:::

## ROTTING TO DEATH.

Degeneration of the Kidneys is Slowly But Surely Fatal.

## BRIGHT'S DISEASE IS AWFUL

Most People Who Have It, Die With It—Few People Know How to Cure It—Dodd's Kidney Pills Are the Only Remedy Known.

SOMERSET, Man., Dec. 19—Beer drinkers are not the only ones that have Bright's Disease. People who never drink any alcoholic beverage may have it. Women often have it. Young people sometimes have it. Whoever has it dies of it, if the disease runs its course.

Uncured it is fatal. For years after this dread disease was discovered and named, it was supposed to be incurable. We know better now. One cure has been found but only one.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS cure Bright's Disease every time. The manufacturers of the remedy have had a standing offer for over two years for a case of Bright's Disease that could not be cured by their Pills. So far every case has yielded to treatment. This ought to be good enough proof that DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS are sure cure.

But the proof does not stop there. Everywhere arise people who testify that they have had Bright's Disease and have taken Dodd's Kidney Pills, and been cured.

For example, take the case of Arthur Coley, a farmer of Manitoba, who says over his own signature:

"All last fall, and the early part of the winter, I was prostrated with Bright's Disease of the kidneys and wholly unable to do any work on my farm. In truth I was so bad that I did not expect to live through the summer. It is now just seven months since I began to use Dodd's Kidney Pills. What a changed man I am today. I am now able to work hard at my calling of a farmer and suffer no pain. My disease has entirely disappeared and mine is a perfect cure. I am happy to say that pain or inability to do the duties of life are not known to me."

"Many of my acquaintances who read this will be surprised to know that I am alive. Their surprise will be much greater to know that I am perfectly well and strong."

The cure can be procured by any one having half a dollar. All druggists sell it. Call for Dodd's Kidney Pills. Take no other. Price 50 cents a box; six for \$2.50. Manufactured and sold in the United States by the Dodd's Medicine Company of Buffalo, N. Y.

**South Dakota in Springtime**  
Is clothed with verdure green and spotted with beautiful blue and white prairie flowers tokens of luxuriant soil like that fair country to which Moses led the children of Israel in ancient times.

And like unto that land of plenty, South Dakota outrivals its sister states of the east in the products of its soil, sown, cultivated and harvested in less time and with greater ease than in another portion of the United States.

And so we say unto you that now is the opportunity of a lifetime to "Go west and buy a farm." For descriptive lists and prices, address Geo. H. Headford, G. P. A., Chicago, Ill.

Lands in Wisconsin.  
**The Northwestern Line (G. St. P. M. & O. R.)** has over 400,000 acres of land for sale in Northern Wisconsin at very low prices on easy terms. Land seekers' excursion tickets on sale April 20, May 4 and 18, at very low rates. For particulars inquire of nearest ticket agent, and for maps, descriptive of lands, etc., address G. W. Bell, Land Commissioner, Hudson, Wis.

**Opportunity For Home-Seekers.**  
There are excellent opportunities along the line of the Chicago & Northwestern R'y in Western Minnesota and South Dakota for those who are desirous of obtaining first class lands upon most favorable terms for general agricultural purposes, as well as stock raising and dairying. For particulars and landseekers' rates, apply to agents of the Northwestern line.

**The Hot Springs**  
located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. R'y.

Very Low Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

We have fifty rolls of matting that are at least 8 cents a yard cheaper than the same goods will be when the new tariff takes effect. Bort, Bailey & Co.

**He Was Successful.**  
"Did my predecessor reach the hearts of your people?" asked the new missionary of the king of the Cannibal islands.

"He did, sir," replied the dusky monarch. "I can say truly that he did."

"I am glad to hear it."

"You Occidentals have a saying, I believe," the potentate went on, "that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach." —N. Y. Truth.

### He Scored One.

"Why, you don't even dress me," she said, reproachfully to her stingy husband.

"Of course not," he replied, with the chuckle of a professional humorist. "I supposed all the time that you wanted a husband and not a lady's maid."

Then he escaped before she had recovered sufficiently to tell him what she thought of him.—Chicago Post.

**Large Job Ahead of Her.**  
Will this medicine cure everything that ails the skin?" asked the little girl.

"Yes, that's what they claim for it," replied the druggist's clerk.

"Then it's what I'm after," said the little girl, handing over the necessary change. "We've got a pet alligator at home that has warts all over it, and I want to cure it!"—Chicago Tribune.

### Proof of It.

Aunt Hulda—Well, David, were they pleased to see you up at Brother George's, in the city?

David—There couldn't be no doubt o' that, Aunt Hulda; they all began to snicker when I came into the room, and the gals were giggling all the evening.—Boston Transcript.

### Judging by Appearances.

"It must cost a lot to dress a woman of fashion," said Uncle Hayseed the night that he and Aunt Martha went to the opera.

"Yes; and from the appearance of some of 'em," returned Aunt Martha, "I think they must be just about half broke."—Chicago Post.

### Last Story Always Best.

"My grandfather," said Ribbs, "died at the age of 94."

"My grandmother was 103 when she died," remarked Dibbs.

"And in my family," put in Tompkins, not to be outdone in boasting, "are several who aren't dead yet!"—Tit-Bits.

### A Marvel.

Simplex (after an evening of Longbow's stories at the club)—What a wonderful memory that fellow has!

Cynicus—Yes; he remembers more things that never happened and in more different ways than anybody I ever knew before.—Philadelphia Press.

### An Indorsement.

"I have the loveliest husband in the world," said the blushing bride to her best girl friend.

"He is just splendid," was the sweet response. "Of all the young men I was ever engaged to I liked him best."—Detroit Free Press.

### His Cynical Dad.

Pillbox, Jr. (who is bound to be an artist)—The fact is, dad, I'm wedded to my art.

Dr. Pillbox—That may be, my boy, but it's very evident to me that you'll have to commit bigamy to live.—Odds and Ends.

### Not Congenial.

"Aren't you afraid your husband will be fascinated by that pretty widow next door?"

"No danger; he likes a garden, and she keeps chickens."—Chicago Record.

### Relief In Six Hours.

Dressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and other parts of the urinary system, and in fever. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by E. B. Helmstreet, druggist, Janesville, Wis.

### Piles! Piles! Piles!

Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Bleeding, Ulcerated, and Itching Piles. It also cures Hemorrhoids, and once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Dr. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared only for Piles and Itching of the private parts, and nothing else. Every box is guaranteed. Sold by druggists, sent by mail, for 50c and \$1.00 per box.

WILLIAMS MFG CO., Prop., Cleveland, For sale by Geo. E. King & Co., druggist.

### Loans placed on real estate

### HAYNER & BEERS.

Room 10 Jackson block

### Warned by Smell of Smoke...

The many fires of late have made people think

about their insurance—the companies in which

it is written, and the amount covered. The

good business man does not forget that his prop-

erty may go next. He does not expose himself

to a crippling loss.

Approved.

F. S. BAINES, Mayor.

A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

## How Are Your Kidneys?

### Ever Have Your Back Ache?

Dr. Hobbs  
Sparagus Kidney  
Pills

make Healthy Kidneys  
and Ease Back Strong.

Healthy Kidneys purify the blood by removing from it waste and other poisons or impurities.

Perfect blood means perfect health. By purifying the blood Dr. Hobbs Sparagus Kidney Pills.

Pills cure Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Gout, Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Epilepsy, Arthritis, Asthma, Appendicitis, Backache, Kidney Weakness, and all Inflammation of the Kidneys. Physicians and druggists recommend them for all complaints of the kidney.

DR. HOBBS REMEDY CO., CHICAGO.

Dr. Hobbs Pills For Sale in JANESEVILLE, by

C. D. STEVENS, Pharmacist, Cor. Main and Milwaukee Streets.

HOW IS YOUR LIVER? Dr. Hobbs Little Liver Pills act promptly, but don't grip.

HOBBS REMEDY CO., PROPRIETORS, CHICAGO.

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## FRENCH EDUCATION.

Imitation of English Customs and Terms.  
Dahlia Velvet Gown.

The sun do move, even in France, that home of conservatism as regards feminine education, at least among the refined classes. There is beginning to be an agitation against the restricted, conventional training of girls, which aims to turn them out as much alike as are spiritless and little individual as a shopful of dolls. They are popularly supposed to have neither thought, feeling nor conversation until they are married to the man chosen by their parents, a man whom perhaps they have seen but once, perhaps not at all, before the day of betrothal. To have any choice as to whom they marry, what life they lead or about books they read is a crime. Who can be surprised that they readily consent to marry anybody, marriage being the sole road to freedom of opinion and action? Liberty, blessed liberty, is more or less dear to all of us, even to her of the poorest spirit. Here a woman is free without marriage; in France she is free with it. The signs of the times, however, indicate that there is a change at hand. If France has a powerful influence over English speaking people in matters of taste, France is, in her turn, susceptible to English influences. She loves to show her acquaintance with the



VELVET GOWN.  
English language, which acquaintance is usually very imperfect, and she is beginning to think that the English system of education for girls has its advantages, after all. Among the curious corruptions of English words now seen in French papers is the use of the term "flirt," which is converted into a noun and serves to designate a man who is attentive to a young lady without being engaged to her. It is strongly urged that a girl should be allowed to have "flirts" in order that she may make a matrimonial choice for herself, which is eminently rational, if it is not good English.

The cut shows a costume of dahlia velvet. The plain skirt is trimmed with two bands of open passementerie of spangles and beads. The close fitting bodice has a pointed bertha lined with white satin and bordered with passementerie. Two bands of passementerie follow the shape of the bertha. The plain sleeves are tight. The capote is composed of dahlia and trimmed with bows of ribbon and black plumes. JUDIC CHOLLET.

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Bran Water For the Complexion—Pink and Green Taffeta Gown.

Silk petticoats may be purchased at so low a cost now that it is cheaper to buy them than to make them. One may always add some little, original touch of decoration which takes away from their ready made aspect. A flounce of guipure or lace may be inserted between the ruffles, or a series of knots of ribbons may head the trimming. Plaited points of silk are among the prettiest and most effective ornaments of the changeable silk petticoats.

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Castor oil is said to be a very good dressing for the hair when it has begun to fall



TAFFETA COSTUME.

out. The oil may be perfumed by a few drops of any preferred essence and is reported to cause the hair to grow with renewed vigor.

Bodices different from the skirt continue to be worn and will remain in fashion for a long time. It is too convenient a style to be dropped lightly or unadvisedly.

The cut shows a gown of pink taffeta with a printed design in green. The skirt is entirely covered with ruffles, in the style which is predicted, will be universally reviled. The bodice is fitted behind, but forms an open blouse in front, disclosing a plastron of green velvet trimmed with ruffles of taffeta. The revers, belt and collar are of green velvet, and the close sleeves of taffeta have small butterfly puffs.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

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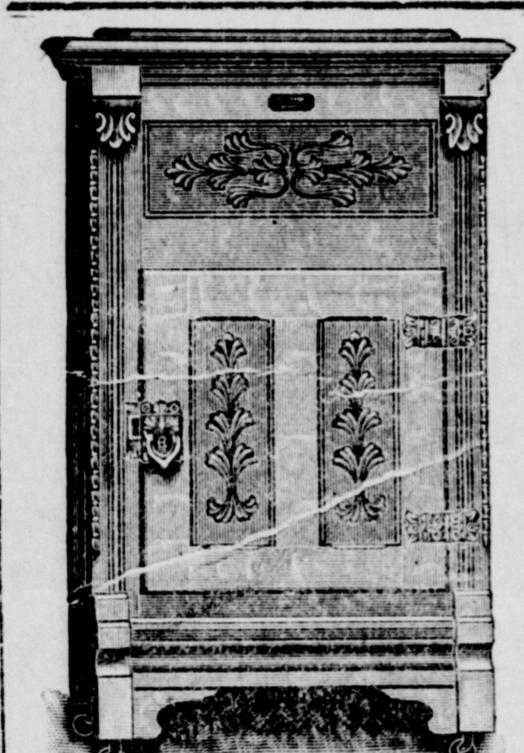
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## Bargain No. 1:

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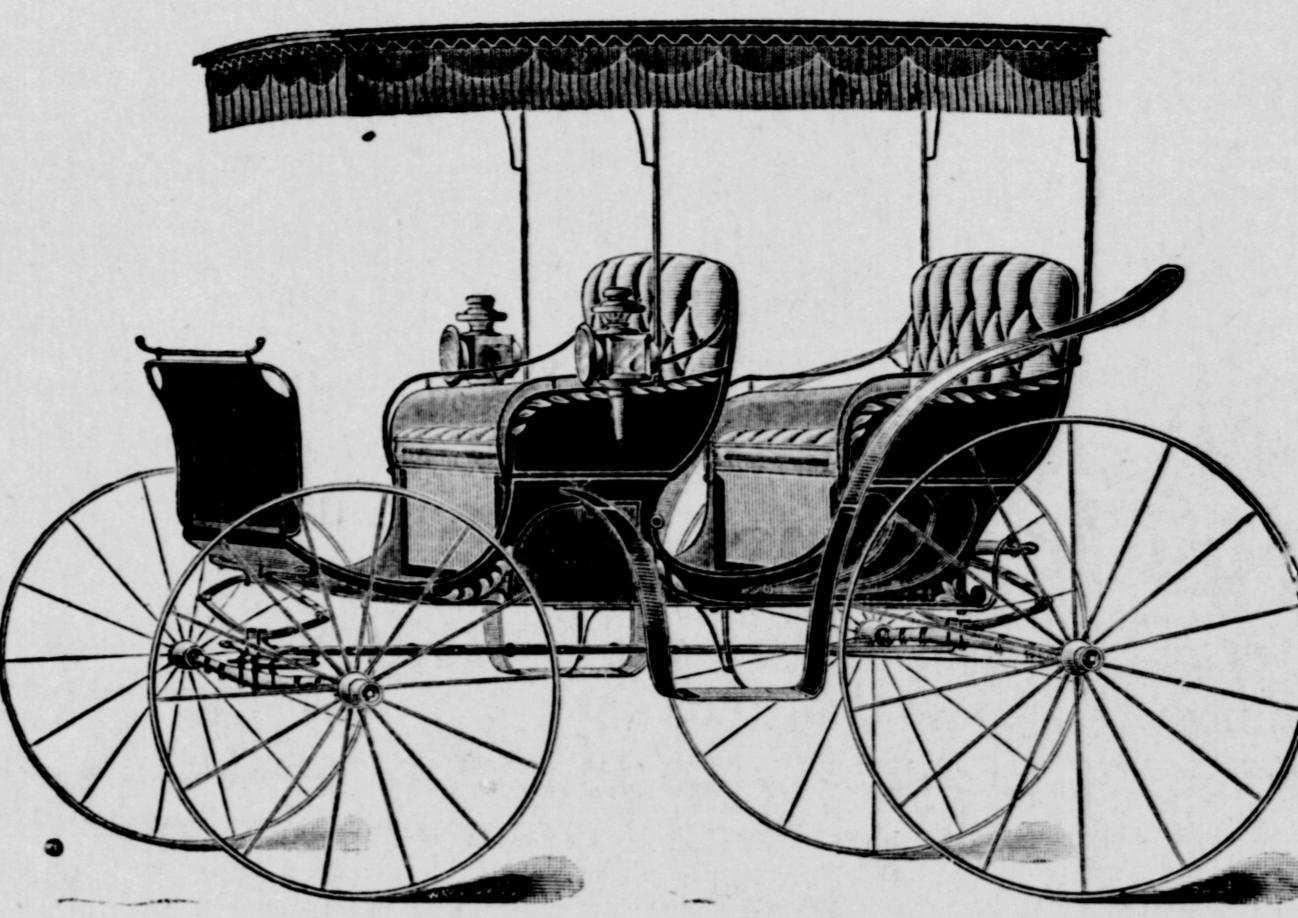


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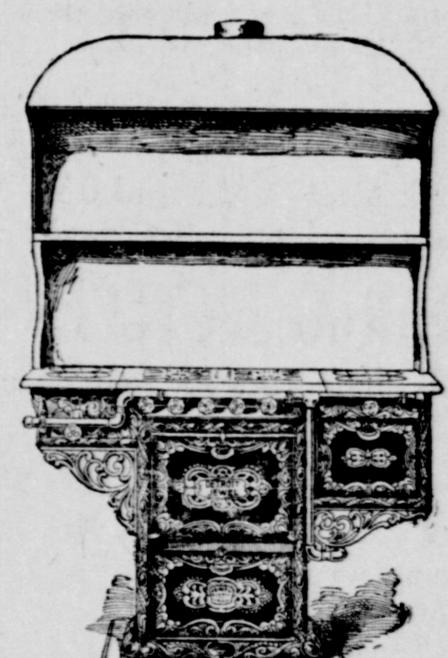
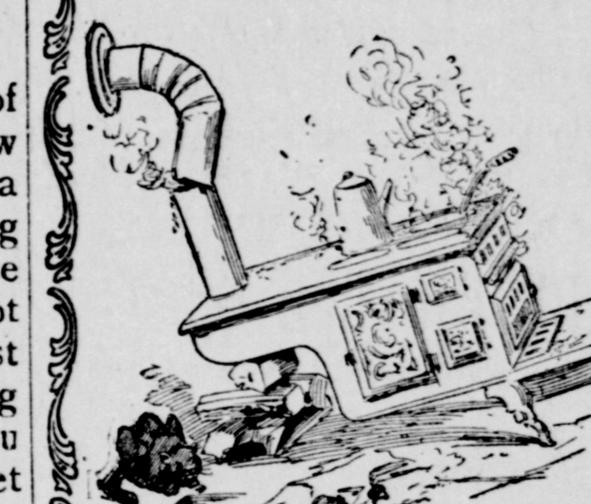
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